

# THE BRISTOL COURIER

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DAILY WEATHER REPORT  
Little change in temperature today or tonight.

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## LOSS OF PART OF ISLAND OF BALI IS CONCEDED BY N. E. I.

**Loss Includes Airdrome At Den Asar, Chief Port of Island**

### "JAP" LOSSES ARE HIGH

**"Can Be Assumed Fleet of Japs for Greater Part Has Been Destroyed"**

BATAVIA, Feb. 23—(INS)—The Netherlands East Indies command today conceded loss of part of the island of Bali to invading Japanese forces, including the airdrome at Ben Asar, chief port of the island.

A special communiqué said: "Part of the island of Bali, including the airdrome at Ben Asar, is in enemy hands."

Japanese warships and transports attempting to carry reinforcements to the landing parties on Bali have been driven away, it was announced.

The Japanese have had to pay a very high price for the conquests achieved on Bali, a bulletin said, because of strong action by allied air and sea forces.

"It can be assumed that the fleet which the Japs sent out for the conquest of Bali for the greater part has been destroyed or badly damaged," the communiqué said, according to the NEI news agency Aneta. "A single ship which succeeded in escaping the destruction fled."

### Service To Be Held In Langhorne for Mrs. Boyd

CHURCHVILLE, Feb. 23—(INS)—For some time, Mrs. Edith K. Boyd, 55, died Saturday evening in the American Oncologic Hospital, Philadelphia. She was the widow of Marshall D. Boyd.

Mrs. Boyd, a member of Olivet Methodist Church, Coatesville, is survived by a daughter, Mrs. William Beizer, Jr., Churchville, with whom she resided for the past nine years; her father, William H. Keebler, a brother, John G. Keebler, both of Bridgeport; and three sisters, Miss Della Keebler, Bridgeport; Mrs. John R. Wood, King of Prussia; and Mrs. Morton R. Dyer, Trevose.

The Rev. Floyd V. Nagel, pastor of Churchville Reformed Church, will officiate at the service at the Horner funeral home, Langhorne, on Wednesday at 1:30 p. m. Burial will be in Morris Cemetery, Phoenixville, and friends may call Tuesday between seven and nine p. m.

### Bucks County Allowed 105 Passenger Car Tires

HARRISBURG, Feb. 23—(INS)—Pennsylvania's total of automobile and truck tires for March will be about 50% higher than February allotments. T. Elmer Transeau, state rationing administrator, said today.

The State's quota for retreaded tires for March, the first month for which an allocation has been set, will be 7,438.

Bucks County tire, tube and retread quotas for March include: Passenger cars, 105 tires and 88 tubes; trucks, 353 tires, 152 retreads and 397 tubes.

### VISIT FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Juno and daughter, Regina, Wood street; George Casper, Wood street, and Patricia Donofrio, Pond street, spent Sunday in Cape May, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ben Zucker.

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### LOCAL WEATHER OBSERVATIONS

FOR 24 HOUR PERIOD ENDING 8 A. M.  
AT ROHM & HAAS WEATHER OBSERVATORY

BRISTOL, PA.

### Temperature Readings

Maximum ..... 40 F  
Minimum ..... 24 F  
Range ..... 16 F

### Hourly Temperatures

8 a. m. yesterday	24
9	27
10	30
11	33
12 noon	36
1 p. m.	36
2	38
3	39
4	40
5	39
6	37
7	35
8	34
9	32
10	31
11	30
12 midnight	29
1 a. m. today	29
2	28
3	37
4	26
5	25
6	24
7	24
8	24

P. C. Relative Humidity ..... 87  
Precipitation (inches) ..... 0

### TIDES AT BRISTOL

High water ..... 9.05 a. m.; 9.28 p. m.  
Low water ..... 3.40 a. m.; 4.12 p. m.

### IF YOU CAN'T GO—GIVE!

\$12,500 Bristol Branch of the American Red Cross has been given the allotment of \$12,500 to raise for the Red Cross War Fund of \$65,000,000, and to do this it has been estimated that there should be 3,000 contributions of \$1 each, 500 of \$5 each, 200 of \$10 each, 100 of \$25 each, 10 of \$50 each. Contributions to the Bristol Branch of the American Red Cross War Fund are hereby acknowledged. Contributions may be given to solicitors, mailed to Bristol Red Cross headquarters, 120 Main St., or forwarded to Mrs. Frank Lehman, chairman of the Mill Street area, Abe Popkin, Norman and Edgar Spencer in the collection of \$679. "This is substantial expression of the loyalty and devotion of the Mill street citizens," said a Red Cross spokesman today.

### Acknowledged Today

Contributions from Mill street area collected by Abe Popkin, David Norman and Edgar Spencer, members of Special Gifts Committee:

Hebrew Ladies Aid Society ..... \$ 50.00  
Joseph Wagman ..... 10.00  
Mrs. Joseph Wagman ..... 5.00  
Jack Wagman ..... 5.00  
Marty Hopkins ..... 10.00  
Freeman Baylies ..... 25.00  
Sam Champer ..... 1.00  
Moffo's Shoe Store ..... 25.00  
Miss Helen Moffo ..... 5.00  
Singer Brothers ..... 50.00  
Abe Popkin ..... 50.00  
Sidney Popkin ..... 50.00  
Joseph Stabitz ..... 10.00  
David Norman ..... 50.00  
Isadore Wolson ..... 20.00  
Archie Darlymple ..... 5.00  
Alfred Delissio ..... 1.00  
Louis Smith ..... 50.00  
Harry Straus ..... 20.00  
Samuel Friedzman ..... 10.00  
Sidney Singer ..... 10.00  
Ida's Beauty Shop ..... 5.00  
Dr. J. G. Steele ..... 3.00  
John Hardy ..... 3.00  
Auto Boys ..... 20.00  
Dr. Fegeison ..... 5.00  
Charles Richman ..... 5.00  
Edward Wallace ..... 5.00  
J. Nocito & J. Bornice ..... 5.00  
Miss Hazel Lynn ..... 1.00  
Morris Spector ..... 5.00  
Ed. Gallagher ..... 5.00  
Robert Weik ..... 5.00  
Mrs. Robert Weik ..... 2.00  
Frank Della ..... 2.00  
Joseph Schifter ..... 2.00  
Dr. M. R. Seigel ..... 5.00

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### Red Cross Luncheon To Be Held in Phila.

A Progress Luncheon of the Red Cross War Fund will be held in the Rose Garden, Bellevue-Stratford Hotel, Philadelphia, Thursday at 12:30.

Those from the Bristol Branch desiring to attend this luncheon are requested to call Mrs. Frank Lehman for reservations. There will be a nominal charge.

Leon Fraser, will be the speaker. Mr. Fraser is chairman of the Red Cross War Fund for Greater New York, president of the First National Bank of the City of New York, veteran of World War I, scholar and humanitarian.

The progress of the Red Cross War Fund effort in the area of the Southeastern Chapter will be reviewed.

The chairman of Special Gifts for the Bristol Branch of the American Red Cross War Fund, Walter Pitzonka, reports that splendid work has been done by the Committee in charge of the Mill Street area. Abe Popkin, Norman and Edgar Spencer in the collection of \$679. "This is substantial expression of the loyalty and devotion of the Mill street citizens," said a Red Cross spokesman today.

### HERE AND THERE IN BUCKS COUNTY TOWNS

Activities of Interest To All In The Various Communities

### GLEANED BY REPORTERS

Declarating that there was a 50 percent turn-over among farm and dairy labor last year, G. A. Burdick, Lauxmont Farms, Wrightsville, president of the State Association, speaking at the 29th annual dinner-meeting of the Bucks County Holstein Breeders' Association, in Doylestown, said: "Congressmen are being flooded with letters about the shortage of farm help and I suggest that you also write your Congressman and ask him to do something about the situation."

Mr. Burdick, who also spoke on childhood vaccination, stressed the improvement of herd sires.

Thirty-six members of the association with president, Joseph O. Canby, Hulmeville, vice-president, Isaac Gross, Plumstead, and secretary-treasurer, Arthur Landis, Quakertown. The key-note of the present was struck by the toastmaster, when in timely remarks he called attention of the group to two words—Morale and God. The importance of the word "morale" bears life today was stressed. "And there is only one word more important in the English language, and that is the Deity. Through respect of the Deity we get morale—and without morale it is impossible for nations to accomplish anything," he stated.

Mr. Hetherington, himself a veteran of World War I, reminded of the inclination to take things too lightly, even in this time of stress. He advanced the opinion that the present conflict might be a lengthy one. "The only thing that will carry us through is belief in a Supreme Being, and fine morale. Morale will help to carry us through the sacrifices we are called upon to make. And let us remember that if we don't

### CADETS HONORED AT ANNUAL DINNER; DISCHARGES GIVEN

Fifteenth Annual Military Ball and Banquet Attended by 355 Individuals

### HELD AT HIGH SCHOOL

I. Johnston Hetherington Serves As Toastmaster Of the Occasion

The naming of the Cadet of Honor, the presentation of honorable discharges to 19 cadets, elevations of a number to ranks of corporals and sergeants, and bestowal of other gifts to those giving meritorious service, were highlights of the 15th annual military ball and banquet of the American Legion Cadets of Robert W. Bracken Post, No. 382, American Legion, on Saturday evening.

The auspicious occasion was participated in by 355 men, women and young folks in the auditorium of Bristol high school, the number including cadets and corps officials, members of the Bracken Post and Auxiliary, the Cadet Booster Association, other allied groups and friends.

The serving of a delicious menu by a well-known caterer, and the formal program were followed by six specialty acts by professional entertainers, and dancing to music by a popular orchestra.

I. Johnston Hetherington, of Baltimore, Md., was toastmaster for the affair, returning to his former hometown for the occasion as is his custom.

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### SCHOOL DISTRICTS TO GET STATE CASH

Bucks County To Receive A Total of \$54,164.91 For Five Districts

### QUAKERTOWN TOPS LIST

HARRISBURG, Feb. 23—Two hundred ninety-nine second and third class school districts in 51 counties will share nearly \$6,500,000 in regular semi-annual payments of State-aid due next month and approved today by Auditor General F. Clair Ross.

Largest single payment, \$711,961, goes to Allegheny County. Luzerne County is second with \$709,223, and Lackawanna third with \$497,119.

Payments to Bucks County total \$54,164.91, to be distributed as follows: Bensalem Township, \$6,660.87; Bristol Township, \$12,129.66; Bristol Township, \$5,697.23; Morrisville Borough, \$12,374.30; Quakertown Borough, \$17,302.85.

The other two clubs participating, Rotary and Exchange have cast chivalry to the winds and are determined that if the women want to win they

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### GRASS FIRE

Firmen of Newport Terrace, Newville, Hulmeville, and the Goodwill Company, No. 3 of Bristol, were called to aid in extinguishing a grass fire on Ford Road, Bristol Township, yesterday afternoon.

With a small group of residents of the Township in attendance the exercises were conducted in keeping with

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### One Man's Opinion

By WALTER KIERNAN  
(I. N. S. Staff Writer)

Attention! Sharpen pencils! Unfold maps! Ready! Dial! Listen!

We will be at the radio tonight with our charts and sun compass but we expect to bog down in the middle of the Indian Ocean.

Once Mr. Roosevelt gets us off USI we are lost—stranded at New Rochelle without matches under a high signpost.

A nation which never has learned how to properly refold a road map can be expected to skid a little in taking the turns on the globe.

Following the progress of the war on a world map will tax our ingenuity.

This is a new tax to be collected quarterly.

Mr. Roosevelt will start talking at 10 p. m., EWT, and by 10:05 we expect to be asking directions of strangers who don't know either.

At 10:06 we will contribute our maps to the waste paper drive.

Thoughts for the day: Go back about six miles and turn right.

In view of the fact that the Japs have been pouring reinforcements into the Philippines for weeks, the lull in fighting appeared to mean that they are rearranging their forces for the long-promised onslaught.

### John Zanni, Well-Known Italian Resident, Dies

John Zanni, a well-known member of Bristol's Italian colony, died this morning at his Lincoln avenue residence.

A paper-hanger and interior decorator, he had been in business for many years. He came to Bristol 35 years ago.

Mr. Zanni, who had been ill but a short time, leaves as survivors his wife, Mary Zanni (nee Cianfarano); the following children, Levia, of Washington, D. C.; Isabelle, Anna, Ezio and Anthony of Bristol; two brothers, Giulio, of Bristol, and Claudio, of Philadelphia; and a half-brother, Alfred Tomeani, of Bristol.

The funeral will be held from the late home of the deceased, 20 Lincoln avenue, on Wednesday morning at nine o'clock, with service in the Presbyterian Church of Our Saviour at 10 o'clock. Burial in Bristol Cemetery will be in charge of Galzerano, funeral director.

### ANNUAL QUIZ TO AID RED CROSS WAR FUND

Junior Travel Club Sponsors Affair To Be Held On Thursday Night

### N A M E CONTESTANTS

The intelligencia of four Bristol clubs will match wits Thursday evening when they will compete in the Bristol Travel Club Home at the annual quiz sponsored by the Junior Travel Club. The proceeds will be given to the Red Cross. The clubs represented will be the Senior Travel Club, Junior Travel Club, Exchange Club and the Rotary Club.

Annually this affair has brought together the well-informed who have been willing to stake their reputations to the extent that they volunteered to exhibit publicly their knowledge of

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## CHIANG IN INDIA

Chiang Kai-shek's sudden visit to India was almost lost sight of in the flood of headlines chronicling the fate of Singapore, yet it is logically a consequence of that assault and may have far-reaching effects of the future conduct of the war.

The people of India have been lukewarm about this whole struggle. It isn't that they show symptoms of being pro-Axis—rather it is a lack of any warm pro-British feeling. This negative attitude has been illustrated in the policy of non-co-operation which has persisted even since Mahandas Gandhi stepped down from the leadership of the Congress Party and was succeeded by Jawaharlal Nehru.

Perhaps the people of India have little reason to love the British. In their own country they find themselves living on sufferance, deprive of independence, and not even granted dominion status. Yet this apathy will have to change soon or they themselves may become vassals of a country far less solicitous of their welfare than the British—the Japanese.

With the fall of Singapore, Hirohito is in position to hurl his crack troops at the crumbling defenses of Burma. If this gateway to India should be forced, it is considered likely that Hitler will attempt a gigantic pincer movement and strike at Western India through Turkey and Egypt. Caught between the two prongs of the Axis, the Hindus and Moslems of India would lose even that measure of self-government they now possess.

It is to bring home this peril to unwilling minds that Chiang Kai-shek has broken all Oriental traditions and paid a personal visit to India. He calls for a united front against the Axis, both within India and in connection with the British and the Chinese. London already has indicated its readiness to accept an Indian representative in the War Cabinet and on the Pacific War Council along with representatives of the dominions.

The time is short. Burma is threatened. Unless she is willing to meet the same fate that other Axis victims have met because of inertia, India will have to bestir herself to make up for lost time. If Chiang Kai-shek can work this miracle, he will have served well the Allied cause. India is a storehouse whose riches would keep the Axis going indefinitely.

## BUTTON SHORTAGE

The call of "Button, button, who's got the button?" may arouse in some persons a nostalgic longing for childhood days and childhood games, but to many a housewife in Canada and probably in this country eventually, it will mean digging up the almost forgotten relic of bygone days—the button basket.

For now it seems that there will be something of a shortage of buttons. It will be difficult to obtain all those weird creations of fantastic colors. Today many buttons are made of bakelite, and to make bakelite requires formaldehyde and resin, both of which are needed in war industries. So, the choice to be made between buttons and bombs naturally leaves only one alternative—bombs.

There was a time, and not too far past to remember, when madly could have as many as 600 color tones in buttons. Now she'll be counting her self very fortunate to get fifteen.

**ECHOES OF THE PAST**

By Courier Staff Member

Review of the news as it appeared in the Bucks County Gazette issue dated at Bristol Apr. 22, 1880. The Gazette, a weekly newspaper published in Bristol, was discontinued following its merger with the Courier.

A young lad named McCarry, who attends the Otter street school, on Monday had a very narrow escape from being killed by the cars. Against the rules of the school, he went outside the school yard and was playing on the railroad track when a train approached, apparently unnoticed by the boy. Vivian Potts and another boy saw his danger and jumped over the fence and pulled him off the track. He was thus saved from fatal injury, but the ends of the toes of one of his feet were cut off.

The pupils of the Otter street school frequently play on the railroad track, and it is a wonder that accidents to them do not often occur.

The Bristol Times, if our information may be relied on, is about to emigrate, to retire to the country, as it were, for the summer season, and perhaps forever. From Dr. Rose's medical institute on the Beaver Dam Road, the paper will be issued at intervals as the exigencies of the Times may demand.

Nearly all the mills are busy working night and day.

A Methodist mission is talked of for the third ward.

Canal street has been opened to the Beaver Dam Road.

Gilbert Randall has bought out the milk route of Frank VanHorn.

At the keg factory last week Henry Dick had his thumb sawn through, George Wood had his hand injured and admitted to a

one of the colored boys suffered the decapitation of the end of one of his fingers. There would probably have been more accidents but for lack of material.

Hulmeville creamery butter is being offered for sale in Bristol.

Plumb and Beane have commenced work at their new haberdashery establishment in the second ward.

Hamilton Hill, fish warden for the Burlington county front on the Delaware on Sunday night seized a boat, a large net and three men engaged in illegal fishing.

An alarm of fire last Friday night about 11 o'clock brought out the fire companies and a great many people. Many of them returned home without knowing that the alarm was caused by a slight fire at the residence of Captain Porter, where the piano caught fire from a lamp, which fell over upon it and broke.

An organ grinder made such execrable music in Bristol yesterday, that his monkey couldn't tolerate it, but broke away from him and ran down the street, pursued by the organ man, who made pretty good time, considering that he was handicapped with the organ.

The monkey, seeing that his capture was inevitable, like Davy Crockett's coon, came down. After his capture he was interviewed, and expressed a regret that he had not come to us for a well-paid haven for Mrs. Roosevelt's dancing protégés and

the force of our war effort.

IT would be easy to add to the list. Few detached persons will contend that criticism of these things is not healthful and helpful — actually more so in a time of war than in a time of peace. Few would want them discontinued. Yet the Administration wants them discontinued.

It bitterly resents and often denounces them. The effort now is to make any comment not commendatory appear unpatriotic. It is not charged that the Biddle bill is primarily designed to suppress a free press and free speech. What is charged is that the bill as now drawn could be used to do exactly that. It makes it possible for resentful politicians in Government office to so construe the law that newspapers and newspaper writers could be fined and imprisoned for printing anything not approved by the Administration—in brief, completely terrorized.

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"Of course. What are a couple of little scratches to an old army man?"

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I was knocked out so completely....

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"Hang on to it!" and I knew you thought that I must have taken it

And, meanwhile, Britain made merry and danced—as Lord Mountwyn; Lord Mountwyn bustled ahead.

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# ACTIVITIES

## Zion Church Is Scene of Houseworth-Grow Wedding

A Bath street miss became the bride on Saturday afternoon of a resident of Bordentown, N. J. The contracting parties were Miss Helen Marie Grow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Grow, 609 Bath street; and Mr. Franklin Houseworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Houseworth, of Bordentown.

The nuptials took place in Zion Lutheran Church at four o'clock, the pastor, the Rev. Paul R. Ronje, officiating.

Miss Jean Griffiths, Linden street, served as bridesmaid; and Mr. Harold Houseworth, Bordentown, was best man.

The bride's dress was of silk crepe in poudre blue shade. Her felt hat matched, and accessories were of navy blue. She wore a corsage of white roses.

A reception for members of the immediate families followed at the Grow residence, where Mr. and Mrs. Houseworth will reside temporarily.

### In a Personal Way

INTERESTING bits of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings.

To arrange for publication of weddings, telephone The Bristol Courier, Bristol 846, notifying at least a few days in advance the date of ceremony. Engagements and announcements must be submitted in writing.

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Hershey will enter U. S. Army service on March 2nd.

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Corp. Daniel Dugan, Jr., is paying a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Dugan, Buckley street. Corp. Dugan is located at Camp Wheeler, Ga.

which was not written specifically for Deanna

Action and tense drama are the keynotes of the quick-moving story and performances in "I Killed That Man," starring Ricardo Cortez with Joan Woodbury, now showing at the Bristol Theatre.

### ON THE SCREENS

#### GRAND THEATRE

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Jane has appeared in sparkling romantic comedies before, but never has she had a more important role or a story of such universal appeal. It is the first time that the 4-H Clubs—an organization consisting of millions of rural boys and girls, young men and young women, engaged in agricultural pursuits—have been the basis of any Hollywood motion picture; and judging by audible satisfaction, "Young America" must be placed high on the Jane Withers' parade of hits.

#### BRISTOL THEATRE

Something entirely new in Deanna Durbin pictures but containing all the entertainment values of the star's previous hits was unrevealed yesterday when "It Started With Eve" opened at the Bristol Theatre.

The new film in which Miss Durbin co-stars with Charles Laughton, is said to be the first of her ten films

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### Today's Quiet Moment

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Guests last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Horace States, Mifflin street, were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Schalfer, Trenton, N. J.; and Mrs. Raymond Parker, Worcester, Mass. Nancy States, on Saturday afternoon, attended a birthday party for Joan Hanson, Cornwells Heights, who was five years old.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gould, Radcliffe street, were guests of relatives in Coatesville over the week-end.

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## SCHOLAR AND SQUARED CIRCLE STILL UP FOR DISCUSSION IN ATHLETIC CIRCLES

War Has Brought Back Old Demand of Marquis of Queensbury Addicts That Man Should Be Taught How To Properly Defend Self During Trouble

By JACK W. GILL

The commonly accepted opinion in the sports world is that a boxer's place is in the squared circle. Leading authorities on education undoubtedly assume the same broad-minded outlook toward the student in reference to the study hall or library. Lately, some of the bright boys with a yen for starting a rumpus have been wondering how the two temperaments would blend.

Excessive socks on the noggin, it is to be admitted, create a feeling of nothingness upstairs if continued for an uninterrupted length of time. This is quite often referred to in more vulgar surroundings as being in a "punch drunk" state.

It has been the impression that high school boys particularly should not be manhandling one another around the ring. These growing boys are more easily susceptible to injury than college men and it would take a specialist to properly coach the sport. For many reasons the game was seldom introduced into high schools.

Suddenly, almost without notice, active war overtook the United States. As the war clouds appear more heavy and as the future grows darker, physical education men located throughout the broad expanse of the nation are rapidly accepting the fact that boys as well as adults aren't hard enough physically to face the test ahead.

An immediate urge for a strengthening of the human resources of the country has been inaugurated and the natural instinct of man to defend himself with his own body has brought the boxing question to the fore. As a result of existing conditions, both wrestling and boxing are being widely considered in schools and colleges.

### Former Bristol Coach Wanted to Start Sport Here

Young Tom Campion, who coached at Bristol last year, wanted to ease boxing into the list of extra-curricular activities here last spring. If the former Penn State grad hadn't joined the Navy, intra-mural work would probably have been in progress this fall. Campion was an active fighter in college and often talked of the practice sessions he indulged in with Billy Boone.

The Army has taken Jack Dempsey into its fold for the prime purpose of instructing boys in camp "roughhouse" work with their dukes. Dempsey, who rode the rails before attaining his championship, knew more about downright fighting than he ever did about the science of boxing.

Today he is doing all he can as quickly as possible to teach big boys how to handle a Jap in a hand-to-hand bayonet scuffle. In short, he's teaching them how to take care of themselves by employing several of the basic fundamentals that made him a tough man in the ring.

Wrestling has always been an integral part of an alert high school athletic program. Locally, Bensalem is the only school that handles the mat game, although nearby George School, at Newtown, has been leading the Lower Bucks section for many years in the grappling sport.

The place to start re-building America physically, to make them tough and to start them on the road to knowing how to handle themselves, is in the school systems. It's as important as arithmetic.

### Emphasis In Schools Is To Be On Science and Safety

Slam-bang shows shouldn't be the objective of boxing in high schools. It would be best not to sponsor competitive matches or tournaments involving other rivals. The best idea would be to promote intra-mural boxing within the school itself.

For instance, experts talking on the subject plan to use 12-ounce gloves up through the 132-pound class. From that weight up to the heavies, large 14-ounce mitts will be tied on the participants' hands. To eliminate guys getting punched dizzy before the final exams, 16- and 18-ounce gloves are advised during practice periods.

The emphasis is on safety and science. Officials, of course, stop all uneven bouts, proper weight classifications are carefully checked and one-minute rounds followed by one-minute rest periods are in effect. That's a right smart program to successfully teach any man how to properly handle himself.

As for science, fundamental punches and counters are stressed. Wiser boxing coaches always start a newcomer out for weeks at a time throwing nothing but a left punch to keep him from becoming right-hand crazy. The left is considered as the most important weapon in the ring game. The good high school system is one that teaches the boys to block, counter, roll with punches and pull away. Much of it is defensive work. The boys are taught that for every punch there is a counter. The value of the left is drilled into the boy's mind because an effective left hand stops a hard right, throws an opponent off balance and sets him up for a right of his own.

It's brain over brawn in teaching young boxers, and this country might take heed of the call to self-defense with real arms as well as manufactured arms. It is facts like these that must be faced. Johnny Walsh, who for years has directed successful boxing teams at the University of Wisconsin, says this about the hammer and duck game: "Boxing is really a simple game, with only a straight left, a straight right and a left hook involved, and a knowledge of how to duck at the right time. It is the boxer who ducks at the wrong time who gets into trouble."

"Keep your chin down and shoulder and hands up," is Walsh's cry day in and day out to his candidates. By doing this, the offensive boy can hold his chin up at the finish of the bout. The entire situation is indeed worth consideration to the Hale America's and others concerned with bringing up America.

## POPULAR DOLLY - - By Jack Sords



STARK IS ONE OF THE MOST POPULAR UMPIRES IN THE BIG LEAGUES WITH THE PLAYERS

DOLLY STARK  
BACK IN THE NATIONAL LEAGUE AFTER AN ABSENCE OF TWO YEARS

## SECOND HALF WINNERS TO BE DECIDED TONIGHT

The second half of the Bristol Basketball League will be decided tonight on the Mutual Aid floor when the Manhattan Soap A. A. quintet stacks up against the Profy team in the second encounter of the night. In the first game which starts at eight o'clock sharp, St. Ann's meets Rohm & Haas.

Manhattan is undefeated in the second half, winning five straight games. The Profy team lost its opening contest of the half to the Voltz team and since then have defeated all their opponents for four victories in a row. Profy's also won the first half race and if it succeeds in defeating Manhattan tonight can also be in a position to win the second half honors, thereby eliminating a play-off.

A Profy victory will throw the circuit into turmoil as it will tie the two contesting teams of tonight's game and also give the Rohm & Haas and Voltz-Texaco teams a chance to work into a four-way tie, that is if Profy's and Manhattan lost their final games of the season.

### BRISTOL BASKETBALL LEAGUE Schedule for Tonight

ST. ANN'S--ROHM & HAAS

MANHATTAN--PROFY'S

Standing	Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
1	Profy's	5	0	.1000
2	Rohm & Haas	4	1	.8000
3	Voltz-Texaco	3	2	.6000
4	Profy's	3	2	.6000
5	Manhattan	3	3	.4000
6	Diamond S. G.	2	4	.3333
7	St. Ann's	0	5	.0000

## BOWLING

### LADIES LEAGUE

Team	Girton	108	115	87-313
Yeagle	105	100	108-313	
Kendall	106	133	121-360	
Walter	127	138	111-376	
McGee	122	130	125-387	
Handicap	5	5	5-15	
	573	621	557-1751	

### SWEETHEART SOAP

Team	Pascagio	123	174	120-417
McElroy	67	79	79-229	
Dugan	113	134	90-337	
Ferguson	109	86	151-337	
Stowe	154	146	128-428	
	557	619	568-1741	

### BRISTOLIANS

Team	S. Carico	96	213	369
J. White	116	161	177-293	
A. Crooley	122	101	133-356	
D. Poffett	147	92	239	
S. Bell	181	171	133-485	
S. O'Boyle	164	152	163-479	
	16	56	46-148	
	776	668	865-2309	

### Kerns

Team	M. Yates	163	141	189-493
M. McGee	138	141	166-445	
B. Osawid	111	164	195-350	
G. Crole	155	155	196-506	
J. Hubbard	158	147	181-486	
	755	778	927-2460	

### Cadets Honored at Annual Dinner; Discharges Given

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give now we may not have it to give in a few years."

Turning thoughts to the strength of duty when the attack was made at the American armed forces, he stated Pearl Harbor in December. Messrs.

that they are "as strong as we are."

Anthony Flatch, Benjamin Lesseig and

garet Heath, Patrick Fifegan, William Bourassa, Myron O'Reilly. The Boosters Association members gave to Mrs. Durham, the president, a double strand pearl necklace. Cadet Corps' gift to some officers of the Boosters' Association, were vases of cut flowers, recipients being Mrs. Durham, president; Mrs. John Lewis, treasurer; Mrs. Benjamin Lesseig, secretary; Mrs. Leslie Satterwaite.

The boys have been told there is a big demand for new machinery that is not and will not be available the coming year due to the rationing of steel rubber and other materials necessary for making new machinery.

Farmers, it was pointed out, must make plans to use machinery they now have on their farms and to keep that machinery in good repair for the duration of the war.

Mr. Bender has announced that by having the Future Farmers of America do first hand work on the mower, they can understand better how to repair a broken part, and how to make replacements when parts become worn so that they interfere with the efficient operation of the machine.

Report was made at the meeting of the North Penn Fish, Game and Forestry Association in the fire hall, at Sellersville, that a large amount of game had been trapped in the boughs limits during the past two months. Most of this game, it was announced, has been released in the townships of East Rockhill, West Rockhill, Miford and Hilltown.

Here and There In Bucks County Towns

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Paul S. Williams, who is in charge of the advanced registry testing and a member of the Extension Department of State College, talked on the manufacture of milk in the udder.

Realizing the importance of learning how to keep machinery in repair, boys taking the agricultural course in the New Hope high school are repairing a horse-drawn mower in farm shop under the direction of Edward K. Bender, head of the agricultural department.

will have to have the best informed group.

Representing the Rotary Club will be George Ardrey, E. Leslie Helwig and William J. Begley Esquire. While for the Exchange Club will be Dr. William A. Groff, Paul de Donado and Paul V. Forster, Esq.

William J. Cromley, of Moorestown, N. J., will be the judge and has promised to be impartial and as a means of assuring that the men will not be favored by his decisions. Mrs. Cromley will be the other individual to sit in

judgment upon the correctness of the answers given.

Mrs. Ted K. Warner, Jr., will be a judge. She was formerly secretary to Dr. Twittmeyer, a psychologist at the University of Penn. A localite will serve as timekeeper.

**Red Cross Mercury Keeps On the Move**

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has been given the quota of \$12,500 and a group of active workers is industriously seeking to make the goal in record time.

A particularly generous list is presented in the windows of residences here and they indicate that those within have contributed to the Red Cross War Fund.

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